



**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
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In re Application of: Daniel E. ALES et al.

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Gray, Phillip A.

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner dated July 6, 2007, rejecting the following claims: 1-3, 5-12, 14-20 and 22-26.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)): \$ 500.00 (\$320 previously paid)

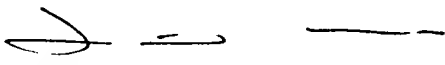
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